







## BUILDING PROGRAM FOR COMING SEASON WILL BE EXTENSIVE

Contractors are Anticipating the Busiest Summer in Years.

### WORK ALREADY UNDER WAY

Two Moving Picture Projections for Pittsburgh Street. New Homes Will soon be Occupied. Other Plans the Contractors Have in View Just Now.

The various contracting firms of the city are receiving many inquiries from prospective home builders and the likelihood that many additional residences of substantial modern type will go up this summer is very strong. Many houses are under way at the present time, some are ready for occupancy now, and others will be within a month or two.

Among the big building operations already begun are the renovation of the Royal Hotel and the improvements to the Morton property on North Pittsburgh street, where a new motion picture house is to be erected. The changes at the Royal already have been begun. The room formerly occupied by the barber shop will be made into a bathroom. The present bar, it is said, is to be made into a motion picture theatre extending from Pittsburgh street back to the News office.

Occupants of the Morton building have been notified to vacate so that the changes may be begun. Wagner & Wishart, proprietors of the Globe Theatre, plan to spend \$20,000 on a new theatre.

Announcement was made this week that the two top floors of the Smith building on the West Side are to be changed into apartments, two on each floor.

Contractor A. C. Herwick's men are finishing up a number of homes at the present time. J. E. Haule's residence just east of the city line is coming along fine, though he will not be in for about two months. W. E. Kelley's bungalow on Isabella road is about completed except for the decorating.

George Campbell's substantial cottage residence along the same road is ready for occupancy. I. D. Pinta's new frame residence on North Sixth street will be completed in about two months.

Frank Welker has let a contract to A. C. Herwick for a 14-room built brick residence on Cedar avenue.

A. B. Hood's new veneer brick cottage along Isabella road will be ready for occupancy in the early spring.

W. H. Showman is having his frame house at the corner of Prospect street and Fairview avenue torn down to make way for a new brick residence. He has not yet decided on what type home he will build but the razing of the old structure has begun.

### MYERSDALE.

MEYERSDALE, Feb. 18.—John Dahl of North York, Pa., arrived here yesterday for a few months' visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Dahl. Clarence Dahl, a student at the Carnegie Institute in Pittsburgh, is also here for a few days' visit.

Mrs. George Benford is visiting her parents and other relatives at Sand Patch for a few days.

Mrs. Harry River left today for Cumberland, where she will visit for several days.

Joseph Bransbury of Lancaster, Md., is here for a few days' visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Wade were guests of relatives in Frostburg, Md., on Thursday.

Mrs. Grace Florence is spending a few days with friends in Berlin.

George H. Benford went to Cumberland yesterday for a few days' visit with his grandfather, G. L. Benford.

Mrs. J. P. Brennan of Scottsdale spent yesterday here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Shannon.

Read our advertisements.

William Martineau of Laguerre, Ind., is here visiting relatives and friends.

### HOWLING FEET

When your feet seem to be just yelling with pain, it's this simple thing and they will be well again. Make a hot bath in a foot tub, to this add 5 tablespoonfuls of 20 Mule Team Balm. Hold your feet five or ten minutes in this bath as hot as you can stand it, and your feet will feel as pliable as Vernon Castles'. All leading druggists sell the 20 Mule Team Balm. —Adv.

## Among The Churches

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH. The confirmation class will meet at 8 A. M. and the Bible school at 10 A. M. Divine services will be conducted by the pastor, Rev. Ellis E. Burgess, at 11 A. M. Sermon subject, "Baptized Christian Workmen." Evening services will be discontinued during the course of the tabernacle meetings.

FIRST UNITED BRETHRIEN Church. Sunday school at 9:45 A. M. Divine worship at 11 A. M. J. P. S. C. B. at 2:30 P. M. The pulpit will be occupied by Rev. W. M. Curtis of the Bob Jones church. A cordial invitation is extended day evenings and regular Wednesday evening prayer meetings will be withdrawn during the evangelistic campaign. J. Showers, pastor.

THE METHODIST PROTESTANT Church. John H. Lamberton, minister. Class meeting at 9 A. M. Leader, E. F. Crouse. Sabbath school at 9:45 A. M. North Pittsburg, superintendent. Morning worship at 11 A. M. Subject, "Harvesters Needed in the White Plains." Tabernacle meetings at 2:30 and 7:30 P. M. on South Side, corner Washington avenue and Pittsburgh street. Union Christian Band meeting at 5:30 P. M. in the United Presbyterian Church, the Evangelical and Methodist Protestant societies will have charge. "Prayer" will be the subject. Everybody welcome.

TRINITY REFORMED CHURCH. South Pittsburgh and Green streets. Rev. Chas. E. Wagner, pastor. Sunday school at 9:45 A. M. Preaching at 11 o'clock by pastor. Subject, "Striving for the Kingdom." No evening services on account of union evangelistic services. Teacher training class Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock. No mid-week services. Catechetical and confirmation class meets Saturday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH. Bible school at 9:30. Morning worship at 10:45. Sermon by Mrs. Allison of the Bob Jones church. Tabernacle services at 2:30 and 7:30. C. C. Buckner, minister.

THE FIRST PRESBYTERIAN Church. J. L. Priddy, pastor. Sabbath school at 9:45. Morning services at 11 o'clock. Subject, "The Day of God's Power." Union young people's service in the United Presbyterian Church at 4:30. Evening service at the tabernacle.

GERMAN LUTHERAN ST. JOHN'S Church. Carnegie avenue and East Sixth street. George Dietz, pastor. Services at 10:30 A. M. Sunday school at 9 o'clock. Ladies Aid Society will meet at 11:30 A. M. Confirmation class on Sunday morning at 9 o'clock. All are cordially invited.

THE COVENANTER CHURCH. West Side. Services by the pastor in the morning at 10:30, topic, "Qualifications of Personal Workers for Soul Winning." Let all who can come out. Sabbath school at 1:30 P. M. Young People's Covenanters Union at 4:45. Prayer meeting Friday evening at 7:30.

THE METHODIST EPISCOPAL Church. Bible school at 9:45 A. M. S. B. Henry, superintendent. Classes for all ages and grades. Men's Adult Bible classes in the Annex. Sacrament of the Lord's Supper at 11 A. M. Bob Jones is expected to assist in its administration. Meeting of the ushers for the Bob Jones meetings in the tabernacle at 2 P. M. This church is expected to furnish about twenty-five. Meetings in the tabernacle at 2:30 and 7:30 P. M. Union Young People's meeting at 4:30 P. M. at the United Presbyterian Church.

THE UNITED PRESBYTERIAN Church. South Pittsburgh street and Morton avenue. Rev. W. J. Everhart, minister. Morning worship at 11 o'clock. Sermon topic, "Devoting Ourselves to the Lord." Sabbath school at 9:45 o'clock. Junior at 3 o'clock. Senior Y. P. U. at 4:30 o'clock. Topic, "How to Put the Bible into Life."

### DUNBAR.

DUNBAR, Feb. 18.—Mrs. Andrew Miller was shopping in Connelville yesterday.

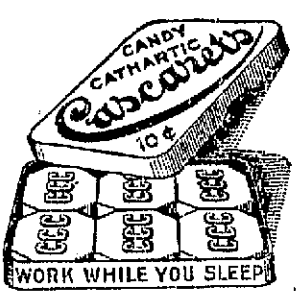
The Ladies Home and Poultry Missionary Societies of the Presbyterian Church were entertained Thursday afternoon in the church by Mrs. May Holsing.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Methodist Protestant Church will hold a chicken and waffle supper in the basement of the church tonight. Cottage prayer meetings will be held at the following homes tonight: Mrs. Hubert Olson of Speer's Hill dis-

## IT'S YOUR LIVER! YOU'RE BILIOUS, HEADACHY, SICK

Don't Stay Constipated With  
Breath Bad, Stomach  
Sour or a Cold.

Enjoy Life! Live Your Liver and  
Bowels Tonight and Feel Fine.



Tonight sure! Remove the liver and bowel poison which is keeping your head dizzy, your tongue coated, breath offensive and stomach sour. Don't stay bilious, headachy, constipated and full of cold. Why don't you get a box of Cathartics from the drug store now? Eat one or two tonight and enjoy the sweet, gentle liver and bowel-cleansing you ever experienced. You will wake up feeling fine and free. Cathartics never gripe or bother you all the next day like calomel, salts and pills. They act gently but thoroughly. Mothers should give their children a few Cathartics to keep their little systems free from any trouble. They are harmless and children love them.—Adv.

Mr. Peter Johnson, town clerk, Mrs. C. B. Norman, Bryson Hill, and Mr. Senary, Pechin district. Mrs. Mary Duffy of the Furnace is spending a few days visiting her daughter, Mrs. C. S. Worthington of Dayton.

Miss Jane Scott visited recently at the home of Miss Odessa Newcomer of McClintockton. Miss Newcomer has been off duty at the high school here since Christmas with an attack of pneumonia.

Mrs. H. H. H. was shopping in Connelville yesterday.

Samuel Jones, principal at the borough school, is off duty suffering with an attack of cold.

C. G. Griffin of Adelaide has a business caller here yesterday.

### OHIOVILLE.

OHIOVILLE, Feb. 18.—Mr. and Mrs. William B. B. who have spent the past month with friends at and near here, left today for their home in Nebraska.

Miss H. H. Harbush left last evening for her home at Victoria.

Emerson Kemp of Bidwell was a business visitor here yesterday.

Mrs. Charles Robinson departed last evening for her home in Uxenia after several days spent here with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Rice were calling on friends in Casselman Friday.

Blaise Welch was a Connelville caller last evening.

Mrs. Shriver Shipley of Bidwell spent Friday evening here calling on friends.

Mrs. R. C. Holt and daughter left last evening for Uxenia to visit with relatives.

Shirley Crawford of Connelville was a caller here yesterday.

Dr. Johnson was a caller in Bidwell yesterday.

### VANDERBURT.

VANDERBURT, Feb. 18.—The body of Isaac N. Ogilvie who died at his home near Burtstown, Washington county, arrived over the Baltimore & Ohio at Dawson at 2:30 P. M. yesterday and was brought to the Presbyterian Church here, where services were held. Rev. D. C. White officiating. Besides the immediate family these attending from Burtstown were: L. B. Foster, Harry Lee, Scott Walker and Mr. Brown.

G. M. Strickler was a business caller at Uniontown yesterday.

Mrs. H. J. Bell of Dawson, visited at the home of her father, Rev. Rud of Laurel Hill yesterday.

Mrs. E. B. Roberts was a Connelville caller yesterday.

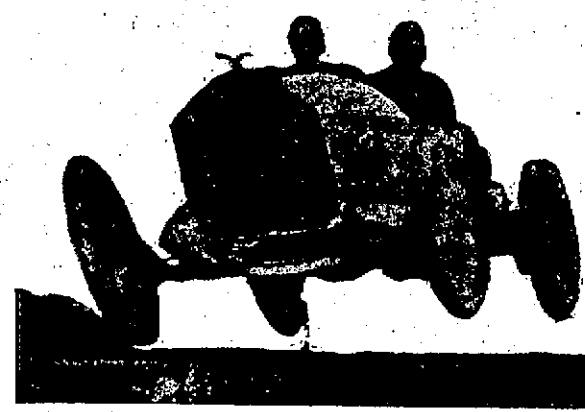
Mr. and Mrs. S. Harper, J. E. Lynn and William McGurney of Franklin township, were callers here yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Armstrong of Connelville, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Henderson Friday evening.

Joseph Stauffer of Dawson, was a caller in town Friday.

# STANDARD AUTO GARAGE

"FOUR"  
"SIX"  
"EIGHT"  
"TWELVE"  
CYLINDER  
CARS



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FRANKLIN  
BUICK  
DODGE  
PEERLESS

## THIRD ANNUAL AUTO SHOW WEEK OF FEB. 21-26

Following our usual custom we will open our Third Annual Automobile Show on Monday morning, February 21st, and we feel that the public is now so thoroughly acquainted with the splendid entertainment we offer at this event that they, too, will follow their usual custom and visit this exhibit in ever increasing numbers. This event will mark an epoch in the Automobile history of Fayette County for the reason that it will be the first time it has been possible for the Automobile public to view the prevailing types of Four, Six, Eight and Twelve cylinder cars, all displayed under one roof. We will conduct another one of the famous Bean Contests and

### An Automobile Will Be Given Away

at the close of the Show. We have labored diligently to put on an exhibit that will both instruct and entertain and we feel that we can promise the public that our special features will keep them interested every moment they are here.

The Elks will be on hand again this year and will award a new Dodge car to some individual, and judging by the "howling" success they made of this event last year, it is going to be a "rip snorter" again this year and will create a tremendous interest. The public is cordially invited to attend our exhibit and make themselves thoroughly at home and be our guests during the week. Don't miss it.

## STANDARD AUTO GARAGE Uniontown, Pa.

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### Why Not Have Perfect Lenses?

Improvements and betterments in eye glasses are just as frequent as in anything else.

Until a few years ago all lenses were flat, because no one had thought of a better way to make them.

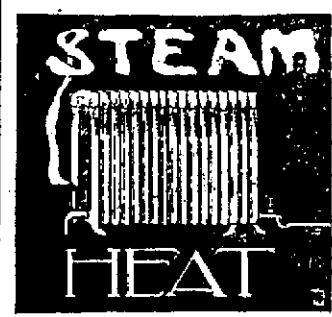
Today nearly 90 per cent of lenses fitted are Toric lenses, curved to follow the shape of the eyeball.

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## Next Week Is National "Pay Up" Week

Our customers are not only asked to pay up their bills, but we in turn are asked by our manufacturers to pay our bills. Hence we pass prosperity around.

### 15 PER CENT. DISCOUNT

Will be allowed on all cash purchases made in our store next week.

Makes no difference what you buy from us—Shoes, Rubbers, Boots, Leggings or Arctics—you will be entitled to 15% Discount during Pay-Up Week.

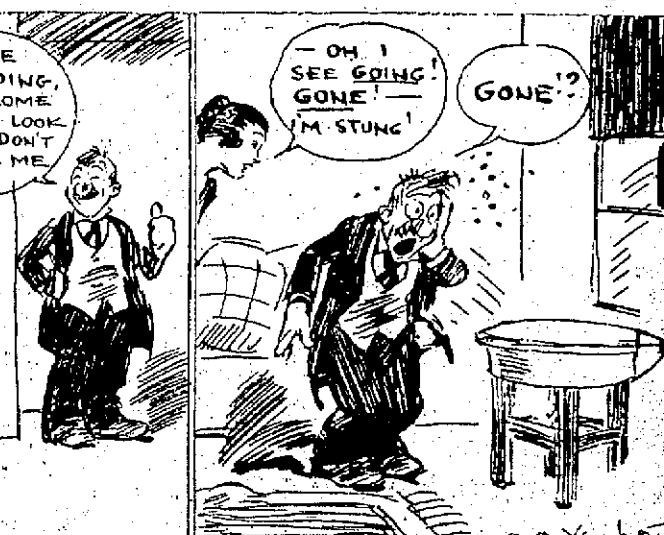
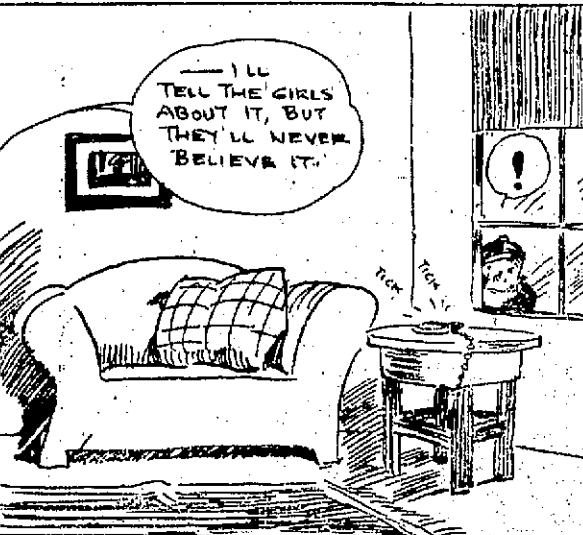
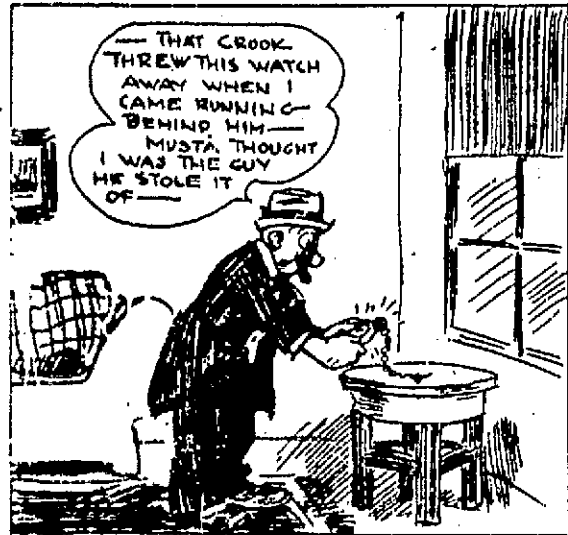
Pay-Up Week begins Monday, February 21, and ends Saturday, February 26.

GREEN TRADING STAMPS GIVEN WITH ALL PURCHASES.

## Downs' Shoe Store

Connellsville's Leading High Grade Shoe Store.

### PETEY DINK—A Sort of a Trick Watch, eh Pete?



By C. A. Volght.





# ENDEAVORING TO REACH EQUALITY IN ASSESSMENTS

Scottsdale Confronts Surprising Property Drop in Two Wards.

## OLD FIGURES IN OTHER TWO

Special Committees from Town Council and School Board Are Working Nightly to Reach an Adjustment Rate to Citizens' Appeal March 17.

Special to The Courier, SCOTSDALE, Feb. 19.—Special committees from the Town Council and the School Board are holding sessions each evening in an endeavor to reach some equality in the assessments of the properties in the four wards of the borough. This situation came up when it was found that the assessments made in the First and Third wards that the values had dropped so much as to cause astonishment. The First ward showed a decrease in valuation of \$208,750 and in the Third ward there was a falling off of \$34,104. In the Second ward there was a decrease of only \$1,050 and in the Fourth ward, but \$200. This tremendous difference when it was considered that there had been new building of extensive proportions in large commercial buildings, etc., in the two wards which suffered the great reduction, together with the increase of the assessment of the American Sheet & Tin Plate Company's plant of \$150,000 puzzled the borough officials.

No matter what the valuations the amount to be raised by the School Board and Council could not be less than a year ago, therefore the new figures meant a very marked increase in the borough and school millage. The inequality between the First and Third and Second and Fourth wards indicated that with a large necessary increase of millage the citizens of the latter two wards would actually have their taxes jumped to a very considerable degree. If the same amount of tax as heretofore paid were raised in the First and Third wards.

In consequence, the matter was brought before the officials whose duty it is to raise the current funds for keeping the borough and schools going. They are now meeting in an endeavor to reach some equality in the assessments, and the assessors are meeting with them giving them such aid as they may.

The county commissioners are empowered to take the assessment books and restore the same figures as last year, but they preferred to leave the matter of adjustment to the citizens and property owners of the two wards. They are now meeting in an endeavor to reach some equality in the assessments, and the assessors are meeting with them giving them such aid as they may.

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### BOXING BOUT POSTPONED.

The boxing bout scheduled to take place between Jack Flynn and Matt Miller of Monaca was postponed until an indefinite date owing to the illness of Miller who must recover and get in shape before another date can be set. Local fans of this sport had been fearing that since the last council meeting when council took up the matter and passed a resolution boxing out their police committee in any action that they might take there would be no more boxing matches in Scottsdale. These gentlemen took the matter up with a well posted attorney and he in turn told them these bouts come strictly within the law and could be carried on as long as they were held in that manner. So far no effort has been made to stop these men from holding boxing matches.

### FOR SALE.

Six room house with heater, acre lot, West Pittsburgh street; \$2,600.00.  
Six room house, water in kitchen, 3 acres land, just outside borough limits; \$4,000.00.  
Five room house, lot 40x120 feet, rents for \$17.00. Three \$12.00 yearly. \$1,600.00.  
Eight room modern house on paved street, in excellent condition; \$2,600.  
Seven room house, modern, good resident section; \$2,800.00. E. F. DeWitt, Brennen Building—Adv.

### SCOTSDALE WINS.

Scottsdale defeated Mount Pleasant Independents in the third of a series of athletic contests last evening by a score of 20 to 18. The game was clean and fast and was appreciated by all who saw the good team work done by the boys and also the excellent foul shooting. For Scottsdale played and for Mount Pleasant Cooke, Carbaugh, Hanner, Fry and Snyder played. In jumping for the ball Cooke came down and struck his hip and had to be taken to the dressing room. He was examined by a physician who stated that he could find no fracture. Not satisfied with this, Manager Spence and Hutter had him moved to the Memorial Hospital where Dr. M. W. Turner gave a thorough examination and again could locate no fracture. This morning he will be given another examination and if nothing more than a bruise is found he will be discharged from the hospital. Cooke was substituted for Cooke during the rest of the game.

### FOR SALE.

Nine room house, one acre land, one half acre in grapes and other fruit, sold a ton of grapes last season for \$2,000.00 on terms to suit purchaser. E. F. DeWitt, Brennen Building—Adv.

### THREE MEN FINE.

Three negroes were each fined one

dollar after they had been arrested for fighting and breaking the plate glass window in the Doorley store on Broadway. They were William Gaines, Jean Swamy and William Gaines.

### WANTED.

Wanted—Extra work as public stenographer. Satisfaction guaranteed. E. L. DeWitt, Room No. 3, Brennen Building—Adv.

### STOCKHOLDERS MEET.

The stockholders of the Scottsdale Trust Company held a meeting Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the New Scottsdale House on the corner of Broadway and Pittsburgh streets, where he died. Rev. J. M. Hutchinson will have charge of the funeral services and interment will be made in the Scottsdale cemetery.

### NOTES.

Next Thursday will be known the world over as an intercommunal day of prayer for mission and this will be observed at the Methodist Church at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon and all churches who have mission societies are invited to come and attend.

The ladies of the W. C. T. U. will sing at the home of Mrs. W. W. Fisher on next Tuesday evening.

John Vauxman, whose home is in the Jarrett flats entertained some of the high school students at his home there.

Prof. Herbert Miller, principal of the Mount Pleasant township high school, is ill at his Chestnut street home.

Rev. S. E. Cornaby, who is a veteran of two wars, who took part in the Indian uprising and later was chaplain through the Civil War, with his daughter, Mrs. Lawrence Kelton, started to visit friends at Mount Pleasant on Thursday and at Iron Bridge they hiked to Mount Pleasant where they spent the day with friends.

Mrs. C. H. Reed left yesterday for Louisville, Ky., to visit Mrs. Phillips. Misses Elizabeth Fisher and Laura Stieber left today to visit Ruffalo.

### Do You Want Help?

Try our classified ads. One cent a word. Results follow.

burg, was cutting on friends here yesterday.

### TRY THIS FOR A COLD—IT'S FINE

"Pape's Cold Compound" Ends Severe Cold or Grippe in a Few Hours.

You can end grippe and break up a severe cold either in head, chest, body or limbs, by taking a dose of "Pape's Cold Compound" every two hours until three doses are taken. It promptly opens clogged-up nostrils and air passages in the head, stops mucus discharge or nose running, relieves sore throat, dullness, feverishness, sore throat, sneezing, soreness and stiffness.

### Don't Stay Stuffed!

Quit blowing and sniffing! Breathe your throbbing head—nothing else in the world gives such prompt relief as "Pape's Cold Compound," which costs only 25 cents at any drug store. It acts without assistance, tastes nice, and causes no inconvenience. Be sure you get the genuine—Adv.

### Certainly Are Cheap.

Brownell Shoe Company received a shipment from their warehouse at Mount Pleasant, Pa., Friday of 150 pair of women's tan and button shoes, which pair for \$3.50 and \$4.00 the pair. They will place on sale today for \$1.00 the pair—Adv.


### SCHOOL REPORT

Good Showing is Made by Star Junction School for the month ending February 1, is as follows:

Room 1, Mary E. Hess, teacher; number enrolled, 47; per cent. of attendance, 88. Honor roll, Florence O'Neil, Rose Ugoine, James Hall and Lawrence Brinkley.  
Room 2, Mae R. Hannon, teacher; number enrolled, 51; per cent. of attendance, 88. Honor roll, Mary Wolfe, Dwight Murphy, Mildred Ketter, Robert Baker, Helen Cerkley, Mike Franko and Joe Portico.  
Room 3, Elmer Hess, teacher; number enrolled, 54; per cent. of attendance, 83. Honor roll, Mary Boyd, Frances Cerkley, Helen Cerkley, Mike Franko and Joe Portico.  
Room 4, Elizabeth Zeeman, teacher; number enrolled, 57; per cent. of attendance, 80. Honor roll, John Dougherty, Robert O'Neil, Josephine White and Ruth Lummie.  
Room 5, Ella M. Pollock, teacher; number enrolled, 45; per cent. of attendance, 84. Honor roll, Mary Malan, Joseph Hall, John Schubert and Elma MacKenzie.  
Room 6, Garret Jones, teacher; number enrolled, 33; per cent. of attendance, 88. Honor roll, Sarah Graham, Clara Ludwig, Mary Morgan, Ruth Piersel and Lillian Koffor.  
Room 7, Olive Myers, teacher; number enrolled, 38; per cent. of attendance, 80. Honor roll, Mary Koshan, Dorothy Jenkins, Earl Hixenbaugh and Margaret Rowley.  
Room 8, B. J. Ransier, teacher; number enrolled, 28; per cent. of attendance, 88. Honor roll, Jeannette Pollock, Catherine Kardis, Margaret Schubert, Mike Stanik and George Hutter.

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Men's Raincoats,  
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Fine materials, \$8  
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And you have the most celebrated brands, such as Kuppenheimer and Schloss Bros. Clothes, to choose from. Hundreds of men, in all walks of life have already participated, but there is still complete range of sizes, materials and colors to pick from.  
**YOU SIMPLY CAN'T AFFORD MISS THIS OPPORTUNITY.**

Any Men's and Young Men's  
**Suit or Overcoat \$5.00**  
\$12.50 to \$15 Values

Any Men's and Young Men's  
**Suit or Overcoat \$8.75**  
\$15 to \$18 Values

Any Men's and Young Men's  
**Suit or Overcoat \$11.75**  
\$20 to \$25 Values

**Stiff and Soft Hats**  
All sizes, all desirable shapes for young men and the more conservative styles for the older men, \$2 and \$3.00 values. **67c**

**MEN'S SHIRTS**  
Dozens and dozens of assorted new patterns, handkerchiefs or double cuffs, all sizes, up to \$2 values. **69c**

**Savings in Boys' Clothing**  
Boys' Suits and Overcoats, a special lot, practically all sizes in the lot, worth up to \$7.50, all at **\$1.99**  
Boys' Suits and Overcoats, some suits with double pair pants, \$4 to \$5 values, now only **\$2.69**

**Free** Soft or Stiff Hat given FREE with each purchase of Men's Suit or Overcoat.

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Up to \$18.00 Values, at **\$3.00**

No other word but success! Express these extraordinary values. Most striking of bargains these. Boucles, Cheviots, Mixtures and Novelties. Clever, bold, smart coats in all this season's desirable colors. Only 49 of them in all.

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**54 WOMEN'S AND MISSES' SKIRTS**  
Up to \$13.50 Values, at **\$3.95**

Extraordinary values which women will quickly realize when they see them. Toms, row, Mohairs, fine Serges, Sotkins and Tweeds—the odds of all higher priced lines—black, navy, Copenhagen and fancies.

**Continuing the Sale of Men's \$4 and \$5 Shoes \$2.65**

All styles, all sizes, all leathers. Every pair Good—Your better shoes. A shoe for dress or business wear.

**FINAL DISPOSAL OF WOMEN'S & MISSES' SUITS**  
Up to \$35.00 Values, at **\$5.00**

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No job too big and none too  
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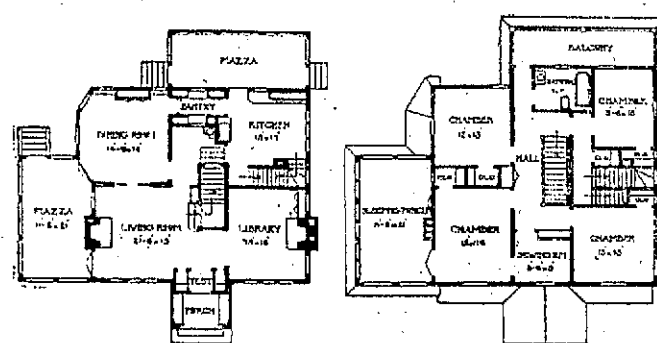
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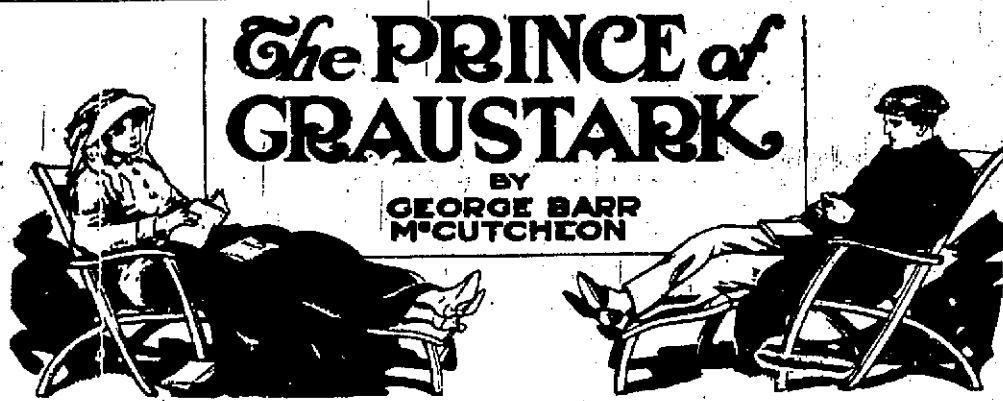
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CHAPTER XV.  
Three Messages.

A Robin approached the Rita, a tall young man emerged from the entrance, stared at him for an instant and then young Quixote, who had been making investigations on his own account.

Robin permitted himself a sly grin as he sauntered into the hotel. He had given that fellow something to worry about, if he had accomplished nothing else. Then he found himself wondering if by any chance it could be the Scoville fellow. That would be a success.

He found Quixote and Dank awaiting him in the lobby. They were visibly excited.

"Did you observe the fellow who just went out?" inquired Robin, assuming a most casual manner.

"Yes," said both men in unison. "I think we've got some interesting news concerning that very chap," added the count, glancing around uneasily.

"Perhaps I may be able to anticipate it, count," ventured Robin. "I've an idea he is young Scoville, the chap who is supposed to be in love with Miss Blithers—and vice versa," he concluded, with a chuckle.

"What have you heard?" demanded the count in astonishment.

"Let's sit down," said Robin, at once convinced that he had stumbled upon an unwelcome truth.

Quixote gravely extracted two or three bits of paper from his pocket and spread them out in order before him.

"Read this one first," said he grimly.

"It was a cablegram from their financial agents in New York city, and it said:

"Mr. B. making a hurried trip to Paris, just before leaving New York. He is expected to return in a few days. Make sure papers are signed at once, as such emergency might cause B. to change his mind and withdraw his money."

Robin looked up. "I think this may account for the two manhunters," said he. His companions stared.

"You will hear all about them from Goursou. We were followed this afternoon."

"Followed?" gasped Quixote.

"Beautifully," said the prince, with his brightest smile. "Detectives, you know, it was simple."

"It had the feeling that evil would be the result of this foolish trip today," groaned Quixote. "I should not have permitted you to go."

"The result still in doubt," said Robin enigmatically. "And now, what comes next?"

"Read this one. It is from Mr. Blithers. I'll guarantee that you do not take this one so calmly."

He was right in his surmise. Robin ran his eyes swiftly over the cablegram and then started up from his chair with a muttered imprecation.

"Sh!" cautioned the count—and just in time, for the young man was on the point of enlarging upon his original effort.

"Calm yourself, Bobby, my lad."

"You needn't caution me," murmured the prince. "If I had the tongue of a snake I couldn't begin to do justice to this."

He slapped his hand resoundingly upon the crumpled message from William W. Blithers.

The message had been sent by Mr. Blithers that morning, evidently just before the sailing of the fast French steamer on which he and his wife were crossing to Havre. It was directed to August Totten and read as follows:

"Tell our young friend to qualify statement to press at once. Announce recognition of heavy denial and urgent ensemble. This is imperative. I am not in mood for trifling. Have wired Paris papers that engagement is settled. Have also wired Hamburg and London to meet together on this matter. Wait for my arrival in Paris."

"There is still another detectable communication for you, Robin," said the count. It was directed to R. Schmidt, and I took the liberty of opening it, as authorized. Read it!"

This was one of the ordinary "petite bleu," dropped into the pneumatic tube letter box at 2:30 that afternoon, shortly before Robin ventured forth on his interesting expedition in quest of law, and its contents were very crisp and to the point:

"Pay no attention to any word you may have received from my father. He cables a ridiculous command to me which I shall ignore. If you have received a similar message I implore you to disregard it altogether. Let's give each other a smiling chance."

MAUD BLITHERS.

Mr. Blithers received a marconigram from the Jupiter when the ship was three days out from New York. It was terse, but sufficient.

Have just had a glimpse of Prince Charming. He is very good looking. Love to mother."

He had barely settled into a state of complete satisfaction with himself over the successful inauguration of a new campaign to get the better of the recalcitrant Maud and the incomprehensible Robin when he was thrown into a panic by the discovery that young Chandler Scoville had sailed for Europe two days ahead of

Maud and her elderly companion. Newspaper reporters in New York camped on the trail of Mr. Blithers. His very obligingly admitted that there was something in the report that his daughter was to marry the Prince of Graustark, although he couldn't say anything definite at the time. It wouldn't be fair to the parties concerned, he explained. Then came the disgusting denials in Paris by his daughter, and the ungrateful prince. This was too much. He couldn't understand such unkind behavior on the part of one, and he certainly couldn't forgive the ingratitude of the other.

Instead of waiting until Saturday to sail, he changed ships and left New York on Friday, thereby gaining nothing by the move except relief from the newspapers, for it appears that he gave up a five day boat for one that could not do it under six.

"There will be something doing in Europe the day I land there, Lou," he said to his wife as they stood on deck and watched the statue of Liberty glide swiftly back toward Manhattan Island. "I've got all the strings working smoothly. We've got Grousestock where it can't peep any louder than a freshly hatched chicken, and we'll soon bring Maud back to her senses. By the way, did I tell you that I've ordered some Dutch architects from Berlin to go?"

"The Dutch are from Holland," she said wearily.

"To go over to Grousestock and give me a complete outline on repairing and remodeling the royal castle. I dare say we'll have to do a good deal."

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"Grousestock, Will?"

"Well, whatever it is," said he, and departed.

He thought hard until half-past 11 and then went to the wireless office, where he wrote out a message in cipher and directed the operator to waste no time in relaying it to his office in Paris. He would be in touch of toly to offer Scoville money, and it would be even worse to inspire the temporary imprisonment of the youth.

But there was a splendid alternative. He could manage to have his own daughter abducted—chaperon included—and hold for ransom!

The more he thought of it the better it seemed to him, and so he sent a cipher message that was destined to throw his Paris managers into a state of agitation that cannot possibly be measured by words. In brief, he instructed them to engage a few peaceable, trustworthy and powerful respectable gentlemen—he was particularly exacting on the score of gentility—with orders to abduct the young lady and hold her in restraint until he arrived and arranged for her liberation. They were to do the deed without making any fuss about it, but at the same time they were to do it effectually.

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Late that evening he had a reply from his Paris managers. They quired if he was responsible for the message they had received. It was a ticklish job, and they wanted to be sure the message was genuine. He said that he was perfectly satisfied and to go ahead. The next morning they notified him that his instructions would be carried out as expeditiously as possible.

About 11 o'clock the next day an incomprehensibly long message began to rattle out of the air. He contained himself in patience, for the matter of half an hour or so longer, and then the clatter continued without cessation. He got up and made his way to the door of the operator's office.

"What is it? The history of England?" he demanded sarcastically.

"Message for you, Mr. Blithers. It's a long one, and I had a hard time picking it up."

There were four sheets of writing at some outlandish price per word, but what cared he? His eyes almost started from his head as he took in the name at the bottom of the message. It was "Maud."

He took the precaution to read it before handing it over to his wife, to whom it was addressed in conjunction with himself. It was from Paris and ran thus:

"Dear Father and Mother—in reply to your cable of the 12th, I beg to inform you that I arrived safely in Paris as per schedule. Regarding the voyage, it was delightful. We had one or two rough days. The rest of the time it was perfectly heavenly. I met two or three interesting and amusing people on board, and they made the time pass very pleasantly. I am now in a hotel where I am staying. I have a glimpse of a certain person. On my arrival in Paris I was met at the station by a friend of mine. He has a beautiful hotel where they are stopping for the summer. It is so small and cozy and comfortable. I have never heard of it. I may as well tell you that I have seen Chandler Scoville and

"I obtained all this and a great deal more from a lady who spent a year or two in the castle walls. I refer to Mrs. Truxton King, who might have told you as much if you had possessed the intelligence to inquire."

"Go ahead!" exclaimed Mr. Blithers, going back to his buoyant boyhood days for an adequate expression. "What a wonder you are, Lou! Say, but won't it make a wonderful home for you and me to spend a peaceful old age in when we get ready to lay aside that?"

He stopped short, for she had arisen and was standing over him with a quivering forefinger leveled at his nose.

"You may walk in where angels fear to tread, but you will walk alone. Will Blithers, I shall not be with you, and you may as well understand it now. I've told you a hundred times that money isn't everything, and it is as cheap as dirt when you put it alongside of tradition, honor, pride and loyalty. Those Graustarks would take you by the nape of the neck and march you out of their castle as quick as that your head would swim. You may be able to buy your prince for Maudie to exhibit around the country, but you can't put the intelligence of the prince in the hands of a Graustark. They have an opportunity to see and become acquainted with Maud before the marriage is definitely arranged. I will not have my daughter cast into a dun of lies. Will—for that is what it may amount to. The people will adore her, they will welcome her with open arms if they are given the chance. But they will have none of her if she is forced upon them in the way you propose."

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"I mean—Chandler Scoville, and he has been very nice to me. Concerning your suggestion that I reconsider the statement issued to the press, I beg to state that I don't see any sense in taking the world's courtesy any further than it has been taken already. If that is grammatically correct, I have also sent word to a certain person that he is not to pay out the greedy newspaper who don't appear to know when they have had enough. I put a little bit of the world's courtesy on you as much as it did me. If I don't say anything about it, I shall say over your head. I shall be in taking good care of the world's courtesy. My plans are a little indefinite. I may leave here at any moment. It should happen to be away from Paris when you arrive don't worry about me. I shall be all right and in safe hands. Will let you know where I am just as soon as I get settled down where. I must go where it is quiet, and undisturbed. I don't feel as though I could ever be seen in public again with a pair of glasses. I have plenty of money for immediate use, but you might deposit something to my credit at the Credit Lyonnais, as I haven't the least idea how long I shall stay over here. Miranda is well and is taking good care of the world's courtesy. I hope you will forgive the brevity of this communication and believe me when I say that it is not lack of love for you both but that I have no time to spare from my devoted daughter."

MAUD.

He was hardly basking before word came from his managers in Paris. Deadline had no meaning for him after he had worked out the message by the code. It is true that he observed that long message and what he saw, but he did not do it for the purpose of going to sleep.

"Your daughter has disappeared from Paris. All efforts to locate her have failed. We don't say she left on her own, but she has been taken. Inquiries at stations and along line fail to reveal trace of her. Scoville still here and apparently in the dark. He is being watched for her companion and has left with her last night. The Prince of Graustark and party left for Edelweis today."

So read the message from Paris.

(To be continued.)

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"THE LILY AND THE ROSE"—The Lily and the Rose, the Fine Arts Film production in which Lillian Gish stars with Rosalia Dolly. Wilfred Lawson plays the part of the man of affairs and ex-football hero, who marries the poor girl (Gish), only to forsake her for a dance, the Rose (Miss Dolly).

The Lily is first seen in a beautiful Southern home, where she is cared for by her devoted aunt. Typical Southern life is shown through a fashionable relative the Lily is introduced to the man whom she marries.

## Be a Community Builder. Join the Pay-Up Week Throng

NONE will deny that willful, premeditated indebtedness is wrong. Nothing will impair a man's standing in a community more than contracting the habit of making small debts and letting them run on indefinitely. It's the little things, after all, that are the tests of character. There are very few persons who are unable to pay the little debts they owe. When they neglect them they are placed in the same category as the fellow who won't pay. The result is that they suffer by comparison. There have been instances of men who were close friends for years, becoming estranged over a fifty cent debt.

TO PROMOTE FRIENDSHIP AND GOOD FEELING AMONG YOUR NEIGHBORS AND FRIENDS DURING PAY-UP WEEK HUNT UP THOSE YOU OWE AND SQUARE THE AMOUNT. DON'T WAIT ON THE OTHER FELLOW. YOU SEE HIM FIRST. AND THEN MAKE IT A HABIT ON THE FIRST DAY OF EACH MONTH TO MEET YOUR OBLIGATIONS. IF YOU OWE MORE THAN YOU CAN PAY, PAY WHAT YOU CAN. LET YOUR CREDITORS KNOW THAT YOU HAVEN'T FORGOTTEN YOUR OBLIGATIONS. IT'S MORE HONEST AND MANLY THAN DODGING THEM YEAR IN AND YEAR OUT. WOULDN'T IT BE ONLY FAIR TO THEM AND TO YOURSELF?

There is another side to the question—credit. The man who takes care of his obligations has a credit that he can draw on. Any banker will tell you that a man doesn't necessarily have to be rich to secure a loan when he needs it. The poor man who has the reputation of looking after his obligations has a better credit at a bank than the man who can pay and neglects to do so.

BE A COMMUNITY BUILDER.  
Pay your debts.  
HELP ALONG THE PAY-UP WEEK MOVEMENT.

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When you brush your teeth, does it feel as though you were brushing against the quick? Do the gums sometimes bleed? This is because pyorrhea has caused the gums to pull away from your teeth, leaving the unarmoured surfaces unprotected.

Your dentist will tell you, if you ask him, that you have gum recession. And that gum recession is caused by pyorrhea.

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## BALTO. & OHIO TO KEEP IN A CLOSER TOUCH WITH TOWNS

Community Development  
Will be the Aim of the  
General Agents.

### BROADEN PUBLIC RELATIONS

Representatives Will be Expected to  
Get Together With Business Men in  
Social and Economic Matters; Other  
News of the Railroads and Employees

Broadening its policy of public relations, the Baltimore & Ohio has adopted a plan of keeping in intimate touch with its communities in matters of general interest pertaining to business development, social and economic matters, transportation service, etc., by extending the scope of duties delegated to the general agents of the company located in various districts of the system.

The general agents, who are men of wide experience and thoroughly conversant with local conditions and are connected with the executive department of the railroad, have been asked to visit the general offices in Baltimore at regular intervals for conferences with executive officers on matters of policy, the business situation and its outlook and such proposed plans as the railroad might have looking to improvements and enlargements of facilities.

Under the plan it is intended to make the general agents the spokesmen of the management, keeping them informed so that they will be in position to discuss matters with representatives of the press, public officials and members of commercial organizations.

The general agents who have been asked to take part in the periodical conferences with the general offices are C. B. Williams, Wheeling, W. Va.; J. C. Hager, Cincinnati, O.; J. T. Johnson, Newark, N. J.; and W. W. Smith, Newark, N. J. Mr. Smith was formerly superintendent of the Conneltsville division.

### HEADLIGHT PLANNING

Edward Parks of Rockwood, who has been employed as a clerk in the engineering office, has returned home and is acting as a clerk for Supervisor R. H. Hanna with headquarters at that place.

Conductor Edward Zeigler, running on a Baltimore & Ohio passenger train between Cumberland and Pittsburgh, was visiting friends and relatives along the line during the week.

William J. O'Keefe, assistant to the general livestock agent of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad, has resigned to become secretary and a member of the board of directors of the Dunbar M. Stewart Company of New York. The resignation will take effect on March 1. He has been employed by the Baltimore & Ohio company for 18 years.

Happy Paret, a brakeman on the Conneltsville division is visiting friends in Rockwood.

St. Henry, a traveling passenger agent of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad, was in town on business yesterday morning.

With the laying off of the third truck operator at the Greenwood tower of the Western Maryland railroad it is not likely that the truck will ever be resumed. The electric block system is about completed and will soon be put into use and it is not likely that the truck will be resumed before the work on this system is completed.

A. N. Martin, who for years has been superintendent of the general office buildings of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad, has in addition to his other duties been appointed as supervisor of station service of the company. The appointment is effective at once.

J. H. Strong, an engineer on the Conneltsville division of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad, has returned from after being off several days on account of illness.

Baltimore & Ohio Ticket Agent P. B. Weiner, has gone to Haverhill, Md., to help out at that place.

Ray Parsons, a telegraph operator of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad at Rockwood, has gone to Smithfield to work.

### BARRED FROM STAGE

German Actress, Wife of Italian, Cannot Sing for Charity.

By Associated Press.

FRANKFURT, Feb. 18.—Because of her marriage with Count Minotto she has become an Italian citizen, Agnes Norma, one of Germany's best known actresses, has been denied permission by the military authorities to play in the municipal theatre of Hanoau, near here.

Countess Minotto, or Countess Norma as she is better known, has been since the beginning of the war, a Red Cross nurse, but has frequently appeared on the stage for the benefit of wounded soldiers. Her intended appearance at Hanoau was to have been for charity also.

Other military district commanders are less strict than the one who rules over Hanoau, for Countess Minotto is scheduled to appear in Posenburg and Dusseldorf before the first of April, the date on which she is to take up her Red Cross duties again. No objection to her appearance in these places has as yet been registered.

To Organize West Va. Miners.  
The United Mine Workers of America and the West Virginia Mine Workers each propose a campaign for membership in the state this spring. The former organization expects to enter its operations in the Fairmont coal region, with a few weeks' delay after the interests of the organization in the state of the southern part of the state.

Hunting Bargains?  
If you read our advertising columns and you will find them.

## Facts Versus Fallacies

FACT is a real state of things. FALLACY is an apparent, only genuine but really illogical statement or argument.

DURING the recent convention of the National Anti-Saloon League at Atlantic City several of the speakers made admissions that were not on the program, and which caused no little embarrassment.

EUGENE H. FOSS, three-times Governor of Massachusetts, declared that Boston, the "Athens of America," was responsible for the corruption of "theoretically" dry Maine. Governor Foss alleged that this was accomplished by smuggling oceans of intoxicants into the Pine Tree State, which singularly had been under Prohibition law for nearly three-score-and-ten years. And Governor Foss added to this declaration the

statement that his experience in Maine and Massachusetts had convinced him that Local Option is an absurd enactment.

IN VIEW of the FACT that the Anti-Saloon League contends that Prohibition laws can be enforced, the denial of Governor Foss in reference to Maine fell like a wet blanket over the League's convention. The Governor's further declaration that his experience with Local Option in two States had shown such law to be absurd—likewise cooled the ardor of Pennsylvanians in particular who co-operated with this League the past

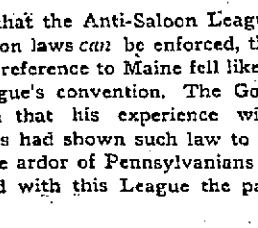
year in trying to foist a Local Option law upon the Keystone State.

WHEN a man like Governor Foss, invited to address a Prohibition assembly, declares that Local Option (which is merely Local Prohibition) is an "absurd enactment," and quotes FACTS to support that contention—then the FALLACY of Prohibition is even more apparent. For Governor Foss speaks with authority born of experience.

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"Are you nervous?"  
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"Are your limbs numb?"  
"Do you have headache?"  
"Do your hands tremble?"  
"Does your heart flutter?"  
"Are you easily irritated?"  
"Are you always anxious?"  
"Is your brain fagged out?"  
"Do you suffer from sleeplessness?"  
"Are you easily frightened?"  
"Do you easily get angry?"  
"Does conversation bore you?"  
"Do you think too much?"  
"Do you forget what you read?"  
"Do you suffer with neuritis?"  
"Do you start up in your sleep?"  
"Have you lost power in limbs?"  
"Does the least thing annoy you?"  
"Do you have pain in the head?"  
"Do you have pain in back?"  
"Do you have painful, tired feeling?"  
"Is there a rush of blood to the head?"  
"Does a lump come up in your throat?"  
"Do you see queer things in the dark?"  
"Do you wake up in cold perspiration?"  
"Have you wandering pains over body?"

You can coax the nerves into doing things which they should do, but you cannot force them into doing anything, so in leading from sickness to health, the best method, the only one, will not cure. Severe medicines make the nerves rebel. Opium is deadly and underlain by the most gratifying results. Nerve doctoring of an unimpaired character never existed. Dr. Gentry has been able to accomplish in such cases. His treatment gets right at the seat of the disease of the Nerves. His remedies begin where help is needed. They free the blood of impurities. They get on the kidneys so that these organs are enabled to strain the impurities out of the system; they tone up the stomach and assist it to digest; they feed the nerves and give them the strength to do their work; they give the nerves the power to make better food and last of all, they act on the nervous system and soothe, quiet and restore them to healthy action.

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## Bottled Water

Little Talk on Health and Hygiene  
By Samuel O. Dixon, M. D.  
L. L. D., Commissioner  
of Health.

Many people who live in communities where there are doubtless water supplies make a practice of drinking spring water. Sometimes they take it for granted that spring water is pure water regardless of the conditions under which it is secured and shipped and delivered. It is advisable to investigate these points when they are open to question.

Take it for granted, however, that the company supplying the water has safe-guarded their customers in every way possible and delivered water of unquestioned purity. It is a common error to think that the water is pure when it is delivered to the door.

Grant quantities of water are supplied in gallon and half gallon bottles for domestic use. These are closed with ordinary corks. In using the water from the bottles these corks are expected.

## Usually extracted with the hands and held in the hand until the water is poured out and then they are stuck back into the bottle. This may be done a dozen times before the contents is completely exhausted. Coming in contact with the hands as the cork does, it is often contaminated by the hands which are unclean. Naturally whatever impurities are rubbed off on the cork in turn pressed into the neck of the bottle to be washed out with the next glass of water poured through it.

This may seem a simple matter, but to those who are willing to go to extra trouble and expense to insure themselves a pure supply of water this gets all their pains at naught and contaminates otherwise pure water before it is consumed.

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DUNBAR TOWNSHIP WINS

Defeated West Newton in a Fast Basketball Game.

The Dunbar township high school basketball team won a close game from the West Newton high school last evening on the Leisepark floor, 34-29. Until the last quarter the game was close and in the first half the West Newton live carried the leading score. The teams were well matched and West Newton showed up as well as did their opponents.

O'Laughlin, as usual, got the lion's share of the basket. Dropping ten of them through Henry played a good game and excelled especially in making the ball. The yellow and black striped boys soon showed that they were able to do this sort of thing also and the game was one of the best played on the local village floor this season.

The game was started early, however, in order that the West Newton boys could catch the train for home. A preliminary game was played at 6 o'clock and the main contest at 7 o'clock.















